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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 I hereby certify that this document is being sent via First Class U. S. mail addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P. O Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of May , 2005.

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 3, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.